

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 2811  
INFO AMEMBASSY NAIROBI PRIORITY

C O N F I D E N T I A L ADDIS ABABA 1045

NAIROBI FOR DEPUTY ASST SECY SEELYE

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PDIP, ET  
SUBJ: NOTIFICATION OF APPOINTMENT OF CHAIRMAN OF PMAC

REF: ADDIS ABABA 0904 (NOTAL)

1. WE STILL DO NOT KNOW WHETHER CALL ON MENGISTU DURING  
SEELYE VISIT WILL COME OFF, BUT HAVE BEEN GIVEN SOME  
ENCOURAGING NOISES BY MOFA PERMSEC. IF CALL IS MADE, I  
BELIEVE IT ALMOST CERTAIN THAT MENGISTU AND EPMG WOULD  
EXPECT US TO MAKE SOME REFERENCE TO HIS ELEVATION  
TO CHAIRMANSHIP. I WOULD THEREFORE APPRECIATE REPLY TO  
REFTEL BY TOMORROW FEB 23.

2. SINCE EPMG IS PUBLICIZING ALL CONGRATULATORY MESSAGES  
WHICH THUS FAR ARE MOSTLY FROM COMMUNIST COUNTRIES, DEPT  
DEPT SHOULD KEEP THIS IN MIND IN FRAMING REPLY.  
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## Message Attributes

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